

In the Specification:

Please amend the specification as follows:

Page 3, sixth paragraph:

A three-axle ball and socket joint in a robot (Fig. 5) including a fixed element 6, a moveable element 7 and link device 8 comprises a joint socket and a joint ball. The joint socket 1 encloses the ball of the joint (not shown) with a space that comprises approximately a half of a sphere or less (Fig. 1). A housing 2 shaped to accommodate a bearing means 3 is located within socket 1.